## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

## MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (MDOT)

## Fiscal Year 2020-2022 Overall Goal for the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program

Pursuant to the U.S. Department of Transportation Regulation at 49 CFR § 26.45 titled, "Participation by Disadvantaged Business Enterprises in Department of Transportation Financial Assistance Programs," the MDOT announces its overall goal for its Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program for fiscal years (FY) 2020-2022.

MDOT proposes the adoption of an overall DBE goal of 8.03 percent for FY 2020-2022. The department projects that the recommended overall DBE goal of 8.03 percent for FY 2020-2022 will be met through race-neutral (2.53 percent) and race-conscious (5.50 percent) means. Race-neutral participation occurs when contractors use a DBE firm on a project with no DBE participation requirement. Race-conscious projects have a DBE percentage requirement.

MDOT will again seek public comment on this goal in 2021 and 2022. Comments or requests for information regarding how this goal was established may be submitted until noon on Sept. 30, 2019, to:

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